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NBC's DON OLIVER
HEADLINES UM's
DEAN STONE NIGHT

MISSOULA, Mont.---

Don Oliver, NBC news correspondent and a 1958 graduate of the University of Montana School of Journalism, will be the 13th annual Dean Stone Night speaker April 10 on the UM campus here.

Dean Stone Night honors the late Arthur L. Stone, founder and first dean of the Montana journalism school and editor of The Missoulian from 1906 to 1914.

Oliver also will serve as the journalism school's 1969 professional lecturer, meeting with students April 11.

The yearly awards banquet, open to the public, will be in the ballroom of the University Center at 6 p.m. April 10. A gathering of students, alumni, faculty and friends is scheduled in the ballroom at 5:30 p.m. Reservations at \$2.25 may be made until Friday (April 4) at the School of Journalism office.

Oliver, 32, a native of Billings, Mont., joined the staff of NBC News in March, 1966, at WKYC-TV, the NBC-owned station/ⁱⁿCleveland. Previously he had worked for radio-television stations in Helena and Great Falls, Mont., Spokane, Wash., and Idaho Falls, Idaho. From 1962-65, he was the political reporter for KCRA-TV in Sacramento, Calif., and had two daily top-rated news shows. He covered both the Democratic and Republican conventions in 1964, the Frank Sinatra Jr. kidnaping and the Nixon-Brown gubernatorial campaign.

Oliver, who appears regularly on the Huntley Brinkley Report, was assigned to Los Angeles from January through March to cover the Santa Barbara oil leak and student unrest at San Francisco State College and the University of California at Berkeley.

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Earlier assignments included the Humphrey presidential campaign, the assassination of Martin Luther King Jr., the death of Lurleen Wallace, the Poor People's caravan through the South and the presidential campaigns of George Romney, Eugene McCarthy and Richard Nixon.

In 1967 Oliver reported the Detroit riots and the Ford strike.

He was awarded the Earl Godwin Memorial Fellowship to attend Columbia University in 1961 and was graduated from Columbia with honors in 1962, earning a master's degree in journalism.

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